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## SOME THOUGHTS.

### By Governor Willson on Trip to South Western Kentucky.

My reception in Hopkinsville, Princeton and Paducah assures me that the people are aroused for the cause of law and order," declared Governor Willson. "I do not believe it is personal popularity of the Governor," said he, "that attracted the crowds and elicited the enthusiasm. It was the cause. When I campaigned for Governor, I had good meetings in Western Kentucky but nothing like these. Nothing like these."

He spoke of the Kentucky homes that are distressed by the lawlessness, of the restraint of freedom, of destruction of property and violations of the sanctity of the persons of Kentucky citizens. He said, although he believed the planters had a grievance in the beginning, the organization of lawless bands has deteriorated the original purpose into the grossest oppression. He said he sent soldiers into the Black Patch to protect innocent lives and to protect property. That he knew who the heads of the organization are and that they know he does, and that when the proper time comes they will be exposed and sent to the penitentiary. He said that proper time can come only when local officials are ready to do their duty; for he cannot prosecute, he can only protect by the armed force of the State. If the Tobacco Trust is doing wrong, it is the duty of Commonwealth's and county attorneys to prosecute it, just as it is their duty to prosecute the night riders.

### Says No Office Was Promised to Keefe.

While no formal statement has been issued from the White House, Secretary Loeb denied that President Roosevelt promised the office of Commissioner General of Immigration to Daniel J. Keefe, of Detroit, president of the International Association of Longshoremen, in consideration of Mr. Keefe's action in declaring for Mr. Taft in opposition to the pro-Bryan campaign of President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor. Mr. Loeb added that Mr. Keefe, in his denial of the story, was absolutely correct.

New cottage for rent, 252 W. Main. Miss Sue Evans. 12-1f.

## Organized Labor and Temperance.

The brewers and their agents went into the meeting of the Federation of Labor in Indiana and largely directed proceedings.

They met resistance. On the plain proposition to stand for prohibition, one-third of the members voted yea. Some of them spoke with great earnestness on the subject.

Mr. M. M. Lolio, of Terre Haute, said: "If we adopt it we go on record against any attempt to regulate the low, measly places in the saloon business. Why bring upon us the hostility of many of the best people in the State by adopting such a foolish resolution?"

The temperance people are not opposed to organized labor any more than other people, but it is the belief of the temperance people that nothing can do so much to raise the standard of living, to increase the efficiency of living and to increase wages as temperance, voluntary or enforced.

All over the world labor leaders are beginning to realize that the greatest obstacle to the improvement of labor conditions is the annual expense incurred in support of the saloons by the laboring man.

W. D. Van Horn, President of the Indiana Mine Workers, said: "I warn you that the adoption of this resolution cannot do any good."

George W. Lackey, a mine workers' delegate and a Socialist nominee for Congress, made an argument against the resolution and showed that dry towns mean increased bank accounts.

Moreover, laboring men are beginning to understand that only a small part of the money that they pay for beer and whisky ever reaches the laborer. Of the beer alone it is said that the laborer gets but 4 per cent. of the product, whereas in the average manufacturing establishments from 25 per cent. to 33 per cent. goes for wages.—Louisville Post.

At Winchester, Ky., the total registration was 1,688, the Democrats getting 809, the Republicans 851 and the independents 24. This is a gain of 60 for the Democrats and 52 for the Republicans, while the Independents lost 12. It is reported that there remain to be registered 45 Republicans and 95 Democrats.

Fine steaks a specialty. Veal Lamb and Pork every week. 31f Thompson & Carrington.

## MR. BRYAN

Wants to Know Who His Real Opponent Is.

### FAVORS GUARANTY OF DEPOSITS

At Scuyler, Neb., Mr. Bryan closed with a strong condemnation of what he termed the unfair attitude of President Roosevelt in taking part in the campaign.

"I had supposed," he said, "that I was running against but one Republican, but it seems that I am pitted against two. I resent his interference, and only ask him to keep his hands off and let Mr. Taft and me fight it out."

At Columbus he talked to the farmers on the guaranty of bank deposits, comparing the objections made against it with the objections first proposed to fire insurance. He said:

"The same objection now made to the guaranty of bank deposits was made against fire insurance when it was first suggested. Then its opponents argued learnedly that to insure all houses was to make some men careless about fire, and that it would lead others to burn their houses to get the insurance."

"If that argument had prevailed we would have no insurance today, but the people wisely decided that we should have protection against fires so that it was better to punish criminally the few who burn their homes than to leave unprotected the many whose houses were likely to burn by accident."

"The case in favor of guaranteed banks is even stronger than the case of fire insurance, because the 100 per cent. penalty against the stockholder added to the entire loss of his investment is sufficient to prevent carelessness and the amount of money called out of hiding will more than repay the tax which is imposed upon the bank."

"From every standpoint protection of the depositor is wise and from every standpoint it is beneficial, because it helps the depositor, it helps the community and it helps the banks."

### Mayfield Gets Grand Lodge Next Year.

At Bowling Green, Ky., October 14, the Odd Fellows selected Mayfield as the next place of meeting and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: John D. Carroll, grand master; I. M. Williams, deputy grand master; Linn T. Gruber, grand warden; R. G. Elliott, grand secretary; B. J. Durham, grand treasurer.

There was no contest for grand master and deputy grand master, but there was a spirited fight for grand warden, in which Mr. Gruber finally won over M. F. Elkin. Several people went after the scalp of Secretary Elliott, but he won out. B. J. Durham beat J. C. Helburn for grand treasurer. This is turn about, for last year Mr. Helburn beat Mr. Durham.

### Buncoed Mayor--Traveling Man Is Indicted For So Doing.

At Hopkinsville, Ky., Mayor Meacham was the victim of a confidence game several weeks ago. L. K. Kerbaugh, who claimed to be a traveling salesman, prevailed on the Mayor to indorse a check of \$30 on a Cleveland, O., bank. He got the money and Mr. Meacham had to make good.

Buy your coal and feed from Moore & Scott, Corner of Bank and Locust. Home Phone 37, E. K. 24.

## AGAINST BETTING.

State Racing Board Holds That Pari-Mutuel Machines Provide Ample Accommodations For the Betting Public.

The State Racing Commission refused to grant the request of the horsemen to eliminate the pari-mutuel form of betting and be allowed to return to the old style of betting known as the bookmakers.

Mr. Rhinock, president of Latonia Jockey Club, said he did not want to fight the commission through the courts, and if this policy was decided upon by the management he would likely resign as president.

It is generally believed that the management of the Latonia track will go ahead with books at the meetings regardless of the decision last week and apply for an injunction restraining that body from interfering. This, in the opinion of many turfmen, would be a mistake that would have much to do with the hastening of the end of the racing game in Kentucky, already at too low an ebb.

### Corn Yield Is Injured By Inbreeding.

At the Kentucky State Fair in 1908 a premium was offered for the best single ear of corn, and many entries were exhibited. The judges, one by one, eliminated all but two ears. There was apparently no choice between those two in depth of grain color, fullness of cob at butt and tip, straightness of rows, length of ear in proportion to diameter at butt, or in symmetry; but on comparison of germination one was found to have a larger proportion of infertile grains than the other, and on this point the award was made.

Mr. T. M. Bamberge, Superintendent of the Queen & Crescent Railway, says that bad stands of corn are generally the result of infertile seed, and this is the result of inbreeding. Corn growers will find it profitable to detassel every other row of corn in the field just as the corn shoots into tassel. At the same time all barren stalks should be pulled up. At any rate a sufficient number of rows to supply seed for the coming year should be detasseled rows, and this should be continued from year to year. Mr. Bamberge has more than doubled his corn yield by this process and the testing of his corn before planting. Had the man who failed to secure the premium at the State Fair have followed the course above indicated he would doubtless have carried off the blue ribbon.—Lexington Leader.

### Believes Bryan Will Win.

Theodore Bell, of California, who so ably presided over the Democratic Convention as temporary chairman, has been stumping the Western States, and is now making a tour in the East. The West and Middle West is overwhelmingly for Bryan, and Mr. Bell is gratified over the information he has gained about the Eastern States. "I believe Bryan will win," said Mr. Bell.

"All classes are tired of the Republican administration. They don't like Roosevelt's meddling. The greatest injury Taft has received has been through Roosevelt's meddling. The people are tired of the tariff. They want sweeping changes, and they have full confidence in Bryan."

### For Sale.

Short-horn and Polled Durham bulls, Poland China boars and gilts. Thos. J. Bigstaff, Mt. Sterling, Ky. 31-1f

**The Latest**  
Ladies wishing to secure the Latest in

**Fancy Dress Goods**

will call at our store. We have a large choice selection of

Hosiery, Novelties, Notions, Table Linens, Etc.

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in Latest Patterns.

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The Same Mistake Is Made by Many Mt. Sterling People.

It's a common error  
To plaster the aching back,  
To rub with liniments rheumatic joints,  
When the trouble comes from the kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure all kidney ills.  
And are endorsed by Mt. Sterling citizens.

Mrs. Patrick Sheridan, living on South Queen St., Mt. Sterling, Ky., says: "Every member of my family have at some time used Doan's Kidney Pills and has been benefited. My back had become so weak and lame that I could not walk and the kidney secretions were too profuse in action but Doan's Kidney Pills quickly relieved these troubles. I consider them the best kidney remedy I have ever used and am glad to give them my endorsement. Last fall my daughter procured Doan's Kidney Pills at F. C. Duerson's drug store for disordered kidneys and was soon cured. They have acted as represented in every case that has come to my attention, and I deem it a pleasure to recommend them to others."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take other. 15-2t

### Big Gain for Bryan.

In a straw vote taken in the mechanical departments of the New York Herald the following results were obtained: For President: Bryan, 238; Taft, 75; Debs, 43. For Governor: Chandler, 230; Hughes, 77; Wanhope, 24.

## Where Liquor Tax Goes.

To the Editor of the Enquirer:

In your report of the "wet and dry" election in this state an error has crept in regarding the amount of revenue lost. To date, according to your figures, 780 saloons have been voted out of business. Each liquor dealer pays \$1,000 per annum. This thousand dollars is divided as follows: Five hundred dollars to the cities, towns, villages and townships in which the liquor is sold; \$200 to the county and \$300 to the state. This means a loss of \$390,000 to the cities, \$156,000 to the counties and \$234,000 to the state per annum. Total, \$780,000.

The elections recently held fixes the "dry" rule on the several counties for three years, so that the total loss is: To the cities, towns, villages and townships in which the liquor is sold, \$1,170,000; the counties \$468,000 and to state \$702,000; total, \$2,340,000.

In addition there is the loss the rebate on the tax previously paid, which must be returned to each liquor dealer, amounting to \$2.74 each day for the unexpired term. The date of expiration is December 1, 1908.

Yours truly,  
F. D. Thomas,  
Cincinnati, O., Oct. 6, 1908.

## To Stop Sunday Ball.

The Indiana Presbyterian Synod at its meeting petitioned President Roosevelt to stop Sunday ball games in the army and navy.

"Doan's Ointment cured me of eczema that had annoyed me a long time. The cure was permanent."—Hon. S. W. Matthews, Commissioner Labor Statistics, Augusta, Me. 13-4t

## MONEY TALKS

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King Quality \$5.00 Oxfords at . . . . .	3.50
King Quality \$4.00 Oxfords at . . . . .	2.85

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